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CHAPTRE III.

average width north and south of one's mind at seeing them. escaping from that tribe he fell into into the sand on the southwest side. the hands of another, and was still a As the "guide and general utility"

sistently designated them as "mo- Grand Fall is about 100 feet and dursignifies "snotty," "despicable," "run- heard for quite a long distance. ning from the nose," "snivelly" etc. The expedition camped for one do not use the word "moqui," but "rest up," and during the day some

by the Spaniards, but of this and skeleton of a large bear that had their "peculiarity" I reserve for an- died of old age; at least the profesother and future paper.

tance they resemble ruined castles, grub." and appear to be at least one thous- From the Grand Fall our party and feet above the plain of the desi- proceeded in a southerly course unerto pintado: In crossing this desert til reaching the celebrated Coconino the eye is entranced with the most caves. These caves are about three wonderfully fantastic and ravishing- hundred yards west of a great naturly beautiful mirages to be seen any- al Tank of the same name, and from where possibly in the world. At one it the cave-dwellers obtained their time is seen a lovely sheet of water water-supply. The caves are situate of several miles in extent, and this is at the eastern base of the San Franapparently surrounded by the green-cisco mountain, and are built in the now and then a small band of Anti- words, the cave-dweller selected a

dred miles in length in a northwest mind a tithing of their weird beau- stop to examine into the matter. and southeast direction, with an ty, nor the impressions left upon

about seventy miles. To Alvar Nu- Scattered over the desert are very nez Cabesa de Vaca belongs the many flat-top buttes or more properhonor of being the first European to ly mesas, some of them not less than cross and to name the desierto pin- four hundred feet bigh. Here as elsetado somewhere about 1537. Im- where throughout the Territory of agine the intrepidity of four men- Arizona, the winds blow almost conthree whites and a negro-without tinuously from the southwest, and as any sort of animal, that should set a consequence the loose sand has out to walk from the coast of Flori- drifted up against the southwest side da to the Pacific, and this too in the of and to the very top of those meyear 1533? For six years Cabesa de sas. I climbed up on the north side Vaca remained a naked slave in the to the top of several of those mesas power of the Florida Indians, but then walked across and stepped off

"naked slave." With this last tribe man for the expedition, by more luck however, Cabesa de Vaca found two than from any previous knowledge, other Spaniards and a negro, and to- I managed to make lucky "watergether they made their escape, boldly finds" while crossing the desert, and striking out for the distant Pacific. brought my party out safely to the Finally when the four ragged, dirty, Little Colorado river at the Grand unkempt and unshorn men, after so Fall. In 1873 this fall had no name many years of wandering through and our party named it the Grand an unknown world, reached Culia- Fall and it so appears upon the govcan, in what is now know as the state ernment maps and the "notes of exof Sinaloa, their own people at first re-plorations west of the 106th meridian fused to believe they were really for 1873." However it has like many Spaniards, so changed had they be- others been recently discovered(f) by come in their physical appearance. the tenderfoot; in fact, been "dis-Such deeds of adventure and of covered" and named by diverse parheroism make one wish he had been ties of tenderfeet two or three times there to share in their privations, over. Eeginning with the Grand fatigue and even their slavery, that Fall is the head of the great canon one's name be handed down to pos- of the Rio Colcrado Chiquito, and terity and for all time yet to come. which is only excelled in grandeur referring to them-named them af- deeper it gets to be until where it those people. Being filth, snotty- Colorado river cañon is nearly one nosed and of diminutive stature, the mile in depth, as you look down into Spaniards most naturally and con- it from the mountain top. The qui" or "moquita," the latter being ing the rainy season and the river the diminutive of moqui. The word running bank-full, is a very pretty "moquita" is Spanish and in English thing to view, while its roar can be As for the Moqtis themselves, they day on the south bank of the river to call themselves "Hopii" or "Opii." one of the outfit, whilst prowling The Zuñis were similarly named about in the brush, discovered the sors said "it had died of old age," After reaching the desert's level and "they shore know pretty plenty"

At another time old feudal-like cas- throug small fissures purposely left tles are seen in the distance, stand- open for its exit. The rooms were ing like the Sphinx of old guarding comfortably warmed throughout by the untold secrets of the desert. At the subterranean heat which came up another time two immense and won- from below. In April 1865 the wrisummit downwards, and the two ap- forty or fifty feet through a large

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To Dwarf New York.

down quiet-like and allow Greater be in line with the republican policy contingent called the Reserves to New York to jump all over her with of preserving the credit of the Santiago de Cuba. At the outbreak its newly acquired two million pairs country at all hazards: "One excuse of the revolution in Yara he enlisted of human feet. Already a scheme which has been given for the pas- in the Cuban army as a private in is on foot in the city by the lake sage of the senate bill is that the the command of the poet, José Juawhich, if carried ont, will enable Secretary of the Treasury has sold quin Palma. Promoted to the rank Chicago to politely tell Greater bonds to syndicates instead of offer- of Captain soon afterward, he was New York to go and "chase itself" ing them first as popular loans, one of the most tireless and aggres-

in a hunt for more population.

rival."

who cordially favors it, or any other early in the session. lutions to that effect.

else be compelled to go and hide its will carry that."

Judge Ross, in the United States est of grass, bushes and trees, with cavities of the lava-flow; in other Court of appeals, rendered an important decision in a case involving lope that go scurrying along its bor- large cavity in the lava, and with the right of women in community ders. After riding or tramping for stones and mud-morter he fashined property. The Judge holds that hours under a blazing sun, then to the cavity into a room. Sometimes the share of the wife in community only branch of congress controlled where a certain Antonio Maceo is pass around a desolate sun-scorohed adjoining the main room there are property is subject to all the debts by the party, can return to their paramount—a fellow who was mulebutte and suddenly come upon such one, two, or perhaps three, smaller of the husband. The decision dea glorious panorama-to the tired, rooms used for sleeping or for stor- fines a great principle, and gives the dusty, thirsty and worn-out traveler age purposes. In the main or front-position of the Federal courts in reis indeed a veritable glimpse of Pararoom and near the entrance they did gard to the construction of property their cooking, the smoke going up rights by the State courts.

Washington Letter.

From our Regular Correspondent. Washington, June 8, 1896.

priation bill on account of the items not exist, because there would have If it required an annual outlay of making an appropriation for the been legislation to make it unneces-\$100,00 to insure a family againt any French spoilation claims, which sary. serious consequences from an attack have been before congress in one or of bowel complaint during the year another shape for nearly one hunthere are many who would feel it dred years, and another appropria- self and family with a bottle of their duty to pay it; that they could tion for a private claim. The house Chamberlain's Colic, Chelera and not afford to risk their lives, and promptly sustained the veto and Diarrhoea Remedy as a safe-guard those of their family for such an passed another deficiency bill with against an attack of bowel complaint amount. Any one can get this in- those and several other items left during the summer months. It costs surance for 25 cents, that being the out. The objectionable items were but 25 cents and is almost sure to be price of a bottle of Chamberlain's placed in the bill by the senate and needed before the summer is over. Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Reme- virtually forced on the house by the This remedy never fails, even in the

could be procured or a physician mittee, against the senate bill pro- with water it is pleasant to take. summoned. One or two doses of hibiting the issue of bonds without For sale by F. J. Wattron. this remedy will cure any ordinary special authority of congress, which case. It never fails. Can you afford was signed by all the republican to take the risk for so small an members of the committee and by amount? For sale by F. J. Wattron. two democrats-Turner, of Ga., and senate for its refusal to pass the matter of course.

also opproved by the county board state: "Kentuckey will give a major- Antonio's person, which is fortunate-By this it is evident the day is votes. I expect to see a republican battlefields of the war of 1963 78.

cans find nothing to reproach them- reference to him. selves with, although they may repledge made by the party platforms Harper's Weekly.

upon which they were elected. Needed appropriations have been made for internal improvements, although it involved the overthrow of Ho for St. Louis! is the cry of a the presidential veto to do it; Harderfully natural looking mountains ter made a partial exploration of the majority of the republican senators bor defenses and the continued seem to join their summits; one aris- Coconino caves, and in one place, af- and representatives just now. Many strengthening of our navy have been ing from out the desert, the other ter passing through the front room of them are delegates to the condescends from the heavens, with its and into a second one, I look down vention and many more wish to be been amended in the interest of on hand when the next President of justice to the old soldiers, and other pear to gradually arise and to de- chasm in the lava, and as far down the United States is named, and just desirable legislation such as the bill seend until their points seem to meet. as I could see the whole place was as soon as the gavel falls for ad-This forms a most beautiful mirage; brightly illuminated by fires from betwo mountains are plainly seen, one low. Smoke could be seen issuing few hours-not later than Wednes- the labor commission bill, and the resting upon the earth, the other one from innumerable apertures all over day—they will pack their grips and revenue bill, which would have suspended in the air with its sum- that part of the mountain or lava start. The meeting of the National wiped out the deficit had it become Taking leave of our friends the mit pointing downwards. Anon the bed. The party consisted of Major Committee, in St. Louis this week, a law, have been passed by the re-Moquis, our party pulled out in a whole will dissolve and clear away to Staples, paymaster, an escort of Cali- to make up the temporary roll of publicans of the house. Dingly southerly direction and were soon be followed perhaps by another pan- fornia Volunteer, Charles W. Beach, the convention, will be second in truly said; "The house has been upon the northern edge of the desi- oramic view; this time a mighty George Cooler and Self. All did see importance only to the meeting of working steadily since the session erto pintado. The desierto pinta- rushing river is seen, having high the smoke issuing from the mounth convention itself, and many condo (painted desert) is a plain lying precipitous black banks upon the opto the southward of the Mocui vill- posite shore. But to be appreciated the fires and offered to go back with members of the committee, will three months longer." If the reages and north of the Rio Colorado these curious mirages must be seen, him he refused; in fact, all declared start from Washington in time to be publicans had controlled both Chiquito, and is perhaps one hun- for no pen-picture can convey to the the devil not far off and none would there at its opening on Wednesday. branches of congress the fear that No surprise was caused by the there will be another issue of bonds veto of the general dificiency appro- before congress meets again would

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Now is the time to provide yourdy. In almost every neighborhood insistence of the senate conferees. most severe cases, and is in fact the some one has died from an attack of The report of Chairman Dingley, only preparation that can always be bowel complaint before medicine of the House Ways and Means com- depended upon. When reduced

Two Cuban Leaders.

Maximo Gomez was born at Bani. Cobb, of Mo., -is considered to be Santo Domingo, in 1836. His aplian able and comprehensive docu- tude for warfare was first shown in It did not seem rational to sup- ment. The following extract from his native country, but while still a pose that Chicago was going to sit the report shows the committee to young man he went with a military While we sympathize with this sive of partisans during the entire The scheme of Chicago as report- criticism, yet this affords substantial course of the war. On the death of Recurring again to the Moquis, I by the Grand Canon itseif. The ca- ed in the newspapers of that city, is ground for amending the Act of 1875 Agramonte, Gomez succeeded to the am informed by an educated Mexi- non begins at the fall with a depth of nothing less than the consolidation so as to require bonds issued under command, and was prominent in the can, the name "moqui" signifies perhaps 100 feet and as penetrates of all the municipalities in Cook it to be first offered to the American negotiations that led to the treaty "snotty-nosed." When first seen by farther and farther into the Mogo- county, Illinois, of which county people, and not ground for the abso- of Zanjon in 1878. The reasons Chicago is the chief city, under a lute repeal of all authority to bor- which led him to accept that con-Connecting at Prescott with stage lines for all principal mining eamps: at Congress with stage lines for Harcina Hala. Station and Yarnelli at Pinenix with the Paricepa & Phenix Ry, for points on the S. P. Ry.

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> A plan of the scheme has been emergency tariff bill and other re- José Antonio Maceo is younger by submitted to Mayor Swift of Chicago lief measures passed by the house twelve years. A native of Santiago de Cuba, his parents are described scheme, he says, which will bring Hon. C. M. Barnett, Chairman of as pardes (brown people, or, more and looking back at the villages per- but would naturally starve to about unification of all municipali- the State Republican committee, of accurately, gray people-a pleasant ched upon the summits of those high death if thrown upon their own re- ties in Cook county under one cen- Ky., who has been visiting Washing- variant of the term mulatto.) And precipitous cliffs and seen at a dis- sources and compelled to "hustle for tral municipal government. It is ton, says of the outlook in that it is a family of "mucha estima." which, at a meeting, adopted reso- ity for the republican ticket in No- ly ample, is said to be scarred with vember of from 25,000 to 30,000 twenty-one wounds received on the rapidly approaching when Greater elected in every congressional dis- When others accepted the treaty of New York will have to go out on the trict save one-the first-and it is Zanjon, Macco earned his reputation hunt for more adjoining cities, or doubtful whether the democrats as a forceful character by his implacable opposition. He would not diminished head .- Los Angeles In summing up the work done come in. Martinez Campos, in a at this seesson of congress republi- letter of March 19, 1878, makes this

> > "Contrary to all expectations of gret that the senate did not pass the chamber and the government, it several bills which the house passed, has been impossible to accomplish The republicans of the house, the anything in the enemy's country, constituents with the proud boast teer and is general, who has imif it be boasting to state the literal mense ambition, great bravery and